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REQUESTING APPROVAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Sir:

In reviewing the above-captioned application file upon allowance, the drawings filed on June 26, 2003 have been approved. However, the drawings filed on March 11, 2001 appear to be acceptable but there was no mention of approval. If our understanding is incorrect, it is requested that the Commissioner notify the undersigned immediately so that appropriate and timely action may be taken.

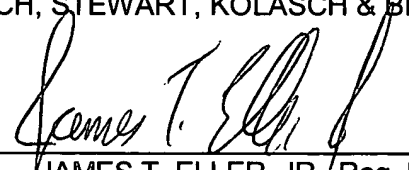
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